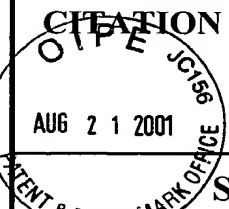


Form PTO-1449 (Modified) INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION IN AN APPLICATION 	Application No.	09/801,428
	Filing Date	March 7,2001
	First Named Inventor	Perry, et al.
	Group Art Unit	TBD
	Examiner Name	TBD
Sheet 1 of 1	Attorney Docket No.	69975

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS									
EXAMINER INITIALS*	CITE NO.	COPY NOT ENCLOSED PER 37 CFR § 1.98(d)	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENT		NAME OF INVENTOR OR APPLICANT	DATE OF ISSUANCE OR PUBLICATION (MM-DD-YYYY)	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE (if appropriate)
			PATENT, PUB., OR APP. NO.	KIND CODE (if known)					
JN	AA		5,960,022		Halldorsson, et al.	9/28/99			2/8/96
	AB		4,955,034		Scerbak	9/4/90			3/1/89
	AC		4,578,793		Kane, et al.	3/25/86			7/13/84
	AD		6,002,704		Freitag, et al.	12/14/99			1/16/98

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS										
EXAMINER INITIALS*	CITE NO.	COPY NOT ENCLOSED PER 37 CFR § 1.98(d)	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENT			DATE OF PUBLICATION (MM-DD-YYYY)	CLASS	SUB CLASS	TRANSLATION	
			COUNTRY OR OFFICE (two-letter code)	DOCUMENT NO.	KIND CODE (if known)				YES	NO
JN	AE		WO	00/44073	A1	7/27/00				
1	AF		WO	91/11042	A1	7/25/91				

OTHER DOCUMENTS -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
EXAMINER INITIALS*	CITE NO.	COPY NOT ENCLOSED PER 37 CFR § 1.98(d)	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.
JN	AG		Ziolek, et al.: "Diode-Pumped High Average-Power, High Repetition-Rate 2.94 μ m Er:YAG Laser", Advanced Solid State Lasers Conference; January 28, 2001; pp 99/MC6, 100/MC6-2 and 101/MC6-3; Published Seattle, Washington

Examiner Signature	JOSEPH NEUTEN	Date Considered	9/28/01
*EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP §609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to the applicant.			

RECEIVED
 9/28/01
 10/2/01
 10/2/01
 10/2/01

AUG 27 2002

Form PTO-1449 (Modified) INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION IN AN APPLICATION	Application No.	09/801,428
	Filing Date	March 7, 2001
	First Named Inventor	Perry
	Group Art Unit	2881
	Examiner Name	N/A
Sheet 1 of 1	Attorney Docket No.	69975

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS									
EXAMINER INITIALS*	CITE NO.	COPY NOT ENCLOSED PER 37 CFR § 1.98(d)	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENT		NAME OF INVENTOR OR APPLICANT	DATE OF ISSUANCE OR PUBLICATION (MM-DD-YYYY)	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE
			PATENT, PUB., OR APP. NO.	KIND CODE (if known)					
JN	AA		5,325,390		Tidwell	06-28-1994			05-08-1992
	AB		5,619,522		Dubé	04-08-1997			09-07-1995
	AC		6,081,542		Scaggs	06-27-2000			06-12-1998
	AD		6,134,258		Tulloch et al.	10-17-2000			03-25-1998

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS										
EXAMINER INITIALS*	CITE NO.	COPY NOT ENCLOSED PER 37 CFR § 1.98(d)	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENT			DATE OF PUBLICATION (MM-DD-YYYY)	CLASS	SUB CLASS	TRANSLATION	
			COUNTRY OR OFFICE (two-letter code)	DOCUMENT NO.	KIND CODE (if known)				YES	NO

OTHER DOCUMENTS -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
EXAMINER INITIALS*	CITE NO.	COPY NOT ENCLOSED PER 37 CFR § 1.98(d)	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.
JN			

Examiner Signature	JOSEPH NEWSEN	Date Considered	9/28/02
*EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP §609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to the applicant.			